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Judge Laura Taylor Swain United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007

Re:

United States v. Javier Alejandro

Ind. S1 07 CR 25 (LTS)

Dear Judge Swain:

I am a partner in the above law firm which represents Mr. Javier Alejandro. I write to request an adjournment of the court date scheduled for tomorrow, September 4, 2008 at 12 noon. My client and I have had numerous meetings with AUSA Glen McGorty regarding a disposition of this matter. Our discussions and meetings are ongoing. I have spoken with AUSA Todd Blanch (I am advised that Mr. McGorty is on vacation and I have been communicating with Mr. Blanch) who has advised that he consents to the adjournment. I respectfully request that the matter be adjourned for approximately 4 weeks so that the parties can report back to the Court to advise of ongoing progress.

Respectfully,

ROGER ASMAR

cc:

AUSA Todd Blanch